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GREENBELT, MARYLAND

Council Forms **Housing Committee**

At the meeting of Town Council on Monday, it was unanimously moved that a committee composed of all the members of the Council and four residents appointed by the Mayor investigate the feasibility of recommending to the Farm Security Administration that the proposed housing authority to take over Greenbelt be composed of residents of the Town.

Town Manager Braden proposed that approximately \$800. be appropriated from a surplus in the lighting budget to resurface the school playground. He sta ted that it would save a considerable sum in jani-torial service which is necessitated by the fact that pupils bring in dirt from the playground to the school and also reduce maintenance costs

school and also reduce maintenance costs for the playgrounds. No action was taken, pending a study of other items of expenditure which might be more necessary.

Mayor Warner read a letter from the Town Administration Committee of the Citizens Association pertaining to the proposed transfer of Greenbelt, requesting a meeting with Town Council on the matter. The question of a local housing authority was then raised, and it was then decided to appoint the committee to study the proposal.

A representative of the Garden Club asked the Council to request the Farm Security Administration not to use any of the land on Ridge Road which has been set aside for permanent gardens, as a buildbeen set aside for permanent gardens, as a buildbeen set aside for permanent gardens, as a building site. The suggestion was put in the form of a mo-

tion which was unanimously carried.

As its final act of the evening, the Council passed a resolution authorizing both the Town Manager and Town Treasurer to sign checks drawn on town and Town Treasurer to sign checks drawn on town

Prospective elementary school pupils above the first grade who are not yet enrolled should call at Mrs. Reed's office in the school at

10:30 A. M. on Friday, September 6.
Kindergarteners and first-graders not included in the pre-school round up will be enrolled on Monday, September ?, on the first day of School.

Eight Make Naval Reserve

Eight Greenbelt boys, to date, have been chosen for the United States Naval Reserve. Thomas McNamara and William Stewart as third and second class yeomen and William Stewart as third and second class yeomen respectively, do clerical and stenographic work at the Anacostia Naval Air Station. Third class seamen are James Daly, Ross and Albert Wilson, and William Elew. Marshal Zoellner has a second class seamon's rating. Charles Dunbar, who is the latest to be accepted, is on the inactive list until Cotober first. The "seamen" are part of the apprentice crew of ground men working on the Navy's seaplanes, and after rising up through third, second and first classes in this category, they become third class machinists mates.

Rigerous mental and physical tests are given to all applicants.

NYA Youths Gain Industrial Skill

NYA activities this year will emphasize national defense from the point of view of training youths in skills needed by industry according to Ryland N. Demoster, State Administrator.

John Bayne Castle, Assistant District Supervisor, said that about two-thirds of the NYA boys and girls now working in Prince Georges County were receiving training on jobs which would qualify them for employment in essential industries. One hundred boys

are engaged in construction and repair work. Mr. Castle reported that the warehouse in Upper Marlboro, being built by NYA labor under the sponsorship of the Board of Education, is over fifty per

cent complete. Automotive, carpentry, and plumbing workshops will be set up in this building in two or three months. Projects of this type will probably be expanded during the coming season.

Trained youths are constantly leaving NYA programs for private employment. In making new assignments Mr. Castle said preference will be given to those youths who evidence special interest in mechanical and construction work.

HOSPITAL HITS RECORD ON TONSTILLECTOMITES

Four tonsillectomies in one evening set a new Greenbelt Hospital record last week. The score of Greenbelt babies born at our hospital versus those born in D. C. stood at one to nothing.

NEW KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS





Roy Braden announces that the two new kindergarten teachers this fall will be Olive Bremseth of Portland, North Dakota and Rhoda Weimert of Buffalc, New York. Miss Bremseth has attended the McPhail School of Music and Mayville State Teachers' College in North Dakota. Miss Weimert holds a bachelor of music degree from Stetson University in Deland, Florida and has had considerable practical experience.

Greenbelt Peaches Get 24 Hour Guard Service

Greenbelt's recently acquired peach orchard on the Glendale road, this side of the airport, was being guarded 24 hours a day last week by our police force as the result of the depredations of unknown truckers. With no regard for the trees, or the ripeness of the fruit, the thieves were beginning to strip the orchard, before the guard was established.

The contract for selling the peaches was left to

Harold G. Snyder, who drives the Greenbelt mail truck and the price set for Greenbelt families was a dollar a bushel, as compared with the \$1.50 to \$1.75 wholesale price in town. There were not as many peaches in the orchard as expected, however, and Greenbelt customers were served on the spot Monday afternoon and evening only. Mr. Snyder was then permitted to sell the remainder in town.

Mr. Snyder, who is athletic director of the Ber-wyn-Branchville School as well as a county recreational head, was assisted in the picking process by a crew of boys from Greenbelt, Berwyn, and Branchville, to whom he paid ten cents for each bushel picked.

George A. Warner, chairman of the Reception Committee for the Fair, amounces that invitations will be sent to any out-of-town guests whom the different organizations may desire to have present. Mayor Warner asks that the names be submitted to him as soon as possible.

As the letters are to be individualized, the services of any volunteer typists would be greatly appreciated by the committee.

RED CROSS SOLICITS WORKERS

Any Greenbelt woman interested in sewing or knitting for the Red Cross is cordially invited by the American Legion Auxiliary to attend the work sessions at the Elementary School. These are held every Monday through Friday afternoon from 1:30 to 4:00 P.M. in the Home Economics Room.

The group is making dresses, surgical supplies, layettes, sweaters and shawls from material frunished by the Red Cross. Material may be taken home to be worked on by anyone who so wishes.

ST. PAUL HOUSING CO-OP BUILDS 25 HOMES

The recently formed St. Paul Cooperative Housing Association in St. Paul, Vinnesota, will have its first 25 homes completed by next month, according to the August 24 issue of the "Cooperative Builder". . The originator and president of the cooperative is John Devine. Other leading spirits of the novement have been Horace Hansen, vice-president of the St. Paul Group Health Mutual and George Feller, treasurer of the St. Paul City and County Employees' Credit Union.

Described as the biggest construction job now being put through in St. Paul, it is materially helping the grave unemployment problem facing the local building trade.

FHA recently approved loans on the first ten houses to be built by a Minneapolis Housing Cooperative

Homeowners Organize Under D. C. Co-op Law

On Tuesday, August 27, just three days after its incorporation under the D.C. Cooperative Association Law, Greenbelt Homeowners Cooperative, Inc. held its first membership meeting in the Greenbelt Elementary School.

At the time of the meeting the .Cooperative had a total of 24 members, who had subscribed in all \$480. The following subscribed to shares: Leslie Atkins, The following subscribed to shares: Leslie Atkins, Fred A. DeJager, George DesJardins, Arthur Dickerman, George Grimm, Dayton W. Hull, Victor O. Raddant, Charles A. Ritter, Jr., Lawrence B. Sawyer, Boyd Schaff, Isaac Schwartz, Colin O. Skinner, Walter R. Volckhausen and Edward Walther, totalling 14 Greenbelters; and Milton Aronson, Charles H. Dufton, Edward Hincks, John H. Humphrey, Howard Kumin, Sarah Siller, Aaron Sokolove, W. M. Stuart, Artemus E. Weatherbee and Ernest J. Wolfe, from Washington, Virginia and as far away as Baltimore. ginia and as far away as Baltimore.

The following were elected to serve as the directors of the Cooperative until the annual meeting in February: George DesJardins, Edward Hincks, Dayton W. Hull, Colin O. Skinner, Walter R. Volckhausen, Edward Walther and Ernest J. Wolfe. Charles H. Dufton, George Grimm and John H. Humphrey were elected to serve as the auditing committee.

As the first organization to be granted a charter under the new D. C. Cooperative statute, Greenbelt Homeowners Cooperative, Inc. began its career last Saturday. By afternoon announcements of organization had been mailed, membership applications were being received, and plans for the first membership meeting were perfected.

A total of the bersons, who have already indicated their desire to build in Greenbelt, have been supplied with application blanks. It was expected that

plied with application blanks. It was expected that membership would grow swiftly because lots are to be awarded in the order of receipt of membership applica-tions. A sufficient number of lots are available for everyone who plans to build, although the Farm Security Administration has stated that only the number of lots contracted for by members will be released to the Cooperative. Any lcts not contracted for at the time the lease is made are likely to be given to a group of Beltsville employees who are to be moved out from Washington. It was learned from F.S.A. that not more than 225 homes can be built unless additional school facilities are constructed.

While the problems facing the Board of Directors are numerous, substantial progress was reported by Acting President Dayton W. Hull. Lots will be at least 60 feet wide, according to present plans of F.S.A. The site selected is the area adjoining Parkbelt. Plans call for extending both Woodland Way ment, and a fortunate result is that many lots will be bounded in the rear by woodland which the home-owner can enjoy just as it it were part of his own

A sum of 31.00 per month will probably be charged by F.S.A. as ground rent. Final negotiations on this

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Vincent Visits Radburn, Pioneer Planned Community

Radburn, a private housing project in New Jersey, near Paterson, was visited last week by Harvey L. Vincent, Town Engineer. Known as America's first Garden City when it was built about ten years ago, it has developed steadily and is now undergoing another period of expansion. A very carefully planned landscaping program which was put into effect at the inception of the project has been carried out with gratifying results.

There are at present over 500 families living there. Numerous playgrounds, two swimming pools, and several tennis courts supply recreational facilities for children and adults. As in Greenbelt, the backs of the houses face the street, thereby adding to the childrens' safety. The stores in the town center are not cooperative, however, but are leased to chain stores and private owners.

Major John O. Walker, now head of the Management Department of Farm Security Administrative of the Management

Department of Farm Security Administration, was one of the developers of the project and its first man-

SITE LEASED FOR PRINCE GEORGES SCOUT CAMP

As planned several months ago, the 60 acre camp-

site off Edmonston Road has been leased to the County Scout Committee, it was announced at the beginning of this week.

County Boy Scouts, including the Greenbelt troop, will soon start damming the stream to make a swimming pool. Cabins and a headquarters building for year round use will also be constructed.

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Plus! Co-op Courtesy

It is depressing to consider that our model food, drug, and variety stores have, among other tribula-tions, the problem of shoplifting to deal with. This unpleasant situation cannot be cleared up by an editorial, of course. Why mention it? Simply, to help point up the marvelous patience and good humor of the Greenbelt clerks who wait on us day after day.

They see us at our worst - visibly registering impatience at delays, super-critical of slight imperfections, watching the cash registers like hawks and haggling over the change, loudly scolding our They see our offspring knocking over and disarranging displays, and they see us messing up neatly-arranged counters. And on top of this, they know that occasional thievery is going on.

Yet they are patient, pleasant, and always ready to help. They use their best manners in the face of our discourtesies. Such courtesy indicates an extremely high quality of personnel.

Presidential Candidates O. K. Co-ops

On March 14, when the Cooperative League News Service made a survey of the attitudes of the prospective presidential candidates toward the Cooperative Movement, Wendell Willkie's presidential tornado was just a wisp on the horizon.

Without benefit of a political crystal ball the co-op news hounds went down the list of the potentialities and found all of those who "stood a chance to win" nomination had gone on record endorsing- the cooperative. Riding the co-op bandwagon were (Republicans) Thomas E. Dewey, Senator Robert Taft, Governor John W. Bricker, Governor George D. Aiken; (Democrats) Franklin D. Roosevelt, Secretary Henry A. Wallace, and Senator Burton K. Wheeler, and Socialist Norman Thomas.

But politics failed to follow prediction and the list was incomplete. To keep the record clear, candidate Willkie said in his acceptance speech at

Elwood, Indiana, August 17:
"I believe in the encouragement of cooperative buying and selling, and in the full extension of

rural electrification." The statements of the other candidates as they

were reported March 14, were:
President Roosevelt in his first message to

Congress said: "We would encourage the slowly growing impulse among consumers to enter the industrial market place equipped with sufficient organization to insist on fair prices and honest sales."

Democratic running-mate Henry A. Wallace stated in his book, "Whose Constitution":

"The only way in which democracy can survive the gical onslaught of the dictator state aspect of Communism and Fascism is to develop the genuine cooperative ideal to the limit. Producers' cooperatives are not enough The cooperative way of life must pervade the community, and this means there must be consumers' cooperatives as well as producers' cooperative."

Norman Thomas, perennial Socialist candidate de-

clared: "We cannot lay out a single track railroad to Utopia. The new social order will be a living growth, not a mechanical creation It will include public ownership of basic utilities; extensive organization of the workers in labor unions; and the growth on one hand of farmers' cooperatives and on the other hand of consumers' cooperatives."

If the modern Lincoln-Bouglas Debates materialize, Cooperatives seem to be one field of complete agreement.

GREENBELT DRAWS WEEKLY QUOTA OF VISITORS

Roy Braden estimates that there are about 5000 visitors each Sunday to Greenbelt. A check-up used to be kept, according to Mr. Braden, but this is no longer made. He estimates "several thousand" weekly visitors.

"The Government will never sell the Greenbelt property", commented Roy Braden last week, adding that it would only be leased, on long-term contracts.

Letters to Editor

DEMOCRACY'S DANGEROUS ALTERNATIVES

TO THE EDITOR:

What line of action will best guarantee the survival of democracy and social progress in America?

As one who has openly identified himself with opposition to militarism, it goes against the grain to support conscription, but under present circumstances the only kind of testimony I would listen to in rejecting conscription as a necessary part of our defense against a Hitlerized Europe would be expert military testimony. The only question is whether immediate conscription is necessary to get all the men the army can possibly handle at the present time.

But aid to Britain and support of conscription when necessary are not enough. The most immediate danger comes from those anti-democratic forces within our country who would use the crisis to manufacture hysteria for the destruction of trade unions and civil liberties, and these foes of democracy must be fought unceasingly.

The problem is to decide which of the possible lines of action will be most likely to aid in the protection and extension of democracy and social justice, and to guarantee the reestablishment of a peaceful world. The alternatives have been so narrowed by events that those persons who believe in the ideals I believe in find it hard to adopt any of the choices now open. I shudder to think of the very real dangers to democracy, social progress and peace in the position I support. It is not because I am ignorant of these that I support it, it is because I think the dangers of the other possible alternatives are far greater.

--- Ed Walther.

FOUND: TWO MORE "GREATS"

TO THE EDITOR:

39 D Ridge Road Sorry to blast the hopes of Mrs. Harriet Wentworth that she might be the only GREAT-GRANDMOTHER in Greenbelt, for there happens to be another one living at the above address. Her name is Mrs. Clarence F. Heath, and her grandaughter, whose little son is the cause of this elevation, lives in Colombia, South America. (The little fellow is 8 months old.)

This great-grandmother is a direct descendant of ROGER WILLIAMS, and was born in Rhode Island. She has lived in SIX of the States of the Union, and the District of Columbia. The six states are Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Texas, Florida, Virginia and

But how about putting in another claim, that of GREAT-GRANDFATHER? I happen to be the husband of the lady in question, having occupied that station for FIFTY-FIVE YEARS, and still going strong. I don't think the LADIES should have all of the honors by any means - do you?

I too have lived in SIX of the States, but I have to substitute MAINE FOR MASSACHUSETTS, and of course I lived in the District of Columbia all the time my wife was there, which was about 15 years. I was a government employee. I am now retired with THIRTY-TWO YEARS SERVICE to my credit.

We have two sons working for the government in the District, one in the Patent Office, and the other in the Internal Revenue. Both have a goodly Both have a goodly number of years of service to their credit in this year of our Lord - 1 9 4 0.

-Clarence F. Heath.

Asst.Mgr.

QUICK, HENRY

TO THE EDITOR:

The Management Office has signed a yearly contract with the Western Exterminating Company of Washington who will handle the extermination problems in Greenbelt with their regular staff.

This company already takes care of extermination in several other large projects in and around Washington.

The men will make a periodic check of every residence in Greenbelt, and the Management Office would appreciate your fullest cooperation in assisting them in this work. -0. Kline Fulmer,

TO CHILDREN WHO RIDE BICYCLES:

Please do not ride on the road leaving Greenbelt two on a seat; you may fall and be struck by a car. Also please have lights on your bikes at night. --- A Driver

Prince Georges County News

POLICE BOYS' CLUB ANNUAL DRIVE OPENS

The third annual drive for \$10,000.00 for the Police Boys' Club of Prince Georges County will get under way day after tomorrow in Hyattsville. ington Police Chief, Ernest W. Brown and James Colliflower, ex-president of the D. C. Police Boys' Club will speak at a banquet launching the drive. Governor Herbert R. O'Conor will also attend and speak, his schedule permitting. An effort is being made to have J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the F.B.I. participate in the event.

COUNTY BOARD OPENS HY TISVILLE OFFICE

A subsidiary office of the Prince Georges County Board of Commissioners was approved for Hyattsville by the Board at its regular meeting August 20th.

The new office is the result of a petition signed by upper county residents who complained that the distance to the county seat in Marlboro prevented many of them from appearing before the Board.

Community Health

S. R. Berenberg, M.D., Director DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

HEALTH & TEETH-Part 1. Nature has planned two sets of teeth for human beings during a normal life-The first set of baby teeth is especially constructed to accomodate the needs of a growing child and to prepare the jaw for the growth of the permanent teeth which will determine the facial contour of the individual. Nature intended the second set of teeth to be really permanent. But her wise plans are universally upset by human ignorance, carelessness or poverty. It is a sad commentary on the average knowledge of teeth that most people bewail the loss of the last tooth in their heads more grievously than the first loss that occurs. many people today are outfitted with artificial teeth (or would be if the family budget permitted such expensive dental care) before half their life spans are finished. Few of these individuals would need false teeth if proper care had been of their care. their own. The softer foods of today which deprive the teeth of the vigorous chewing exercises the cavemen knew, are often blamed for the poor teeth of this period. Such foods are not necessarily responsible for the loss of teeth.

Preventive medicine is gradually becoming household phrase but preventive dentistry is still a novel idea. Preventive dentistry to date is too often selftreatment (massage of the gums with certain dental pastes or the use of specially constructed brushes) inspired by lyrical advertisements. Home massage of the gums when correctly done is excellent but decay can injure a tooth seriously before a toothache betrays the existence of the infection. Nothing can replace dental examinations. Few parents realize that nature needs their cooperation in securing good teeth for their children. They fail to appreciate the importance of the temporary childhood teeth. Nature demands the cooperation of the parent in providing the teeth with nourishment, keeping them clean and correcting defects.

Good teeth are so indispensable to the health and happiness of an individual that for the next few weeks this column will discuss the problems of acquiring and keeping good teeth.

Health Services Untangled

Many people are confused about Greenbelt's health facilities and the various health agencies. Instead of telephoning the Public Health Office when they want the nurse, they are likely to phone the Hospital. Some people apparently think the Hospital is an integral part of the Health Association.

There are five separate and distinct health agen-

cies in Greenbelt.

Three Private Physicians. Dr. Samuel R. Berenberg, Dr. Joseph Silagy and Dr. Joe W. Still have offices in the Medical Center. They may be consulted in their offices or at home in their capacity as private physicians. The doctors work on a regular office hour schedule which is printed from time to time in the Cooperator, Copies may be obtained at the Medical Center.

Private Dentist. Dr. James W. McCarl also has his office at the Medical Center. He may be consulted as a private dentist would be consulted else-

The Greenbelt Health Association. This is a co-operative association comprised of 360 members from Greenbelt and surrounding communities. It has a group bargaining arrangement with the three local physicians. In return for monthly dues, members receive all ordinary medical care ("general practitioner care") and enjoy greatly reduced rates on specialized services, such as surgery, fracture work and obstetrics. Anyone is eligible to join. Particulars may be had at the Health Association Office in the Medical Center, from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

The Public Health Department. Dr. Berenberg is the Public Health Officer on a part-time basis, Mrs. Corder, the full-time Public Health nurse. The department has it office next-door to the Post Office. The duties of the Department are those usual to public health departments and also include many other services not usually given, such as immunizations for school children. The Department is supported by Town funds appropriated by the Town Council, and the services given are free. See the Cooperator of April 18, 1940 for the ordinance which established this department.

The Greenbelt Hospital. The Town's public hospital is located at the Medical Center. It is equipped and operated by the Town of Greenbelt. For rates and other information, call the superintendent, Wiss Elizabeth Yuretich. The hospital is available to everyone in Greenbelt and surrounding towns. It is the only public general hospital in Princes Georges

THIS MAKES THE THIRD GREAT-GRAMDMOTHER

"My grandmother has been a great grandmother for fourteen years", remarked Mary Jane McCarl when she saw last week's item about Mrs. Harriet Wentworth. Mary Jane's grandmother is Mrs. Mary Yarnell

Taylor, and she lives here in Greenbelt with her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Daniels. Mrs. Taylor has ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Young Howard Chasanow is proudly learning to wash his own hands. In his haste to get to the dinner table recently, he made the mistake of leaving the water running. His wash cloth provided an effective plug by sinking to the bottom of the basin. Howard's mother investigated the bathroom when her kitchen droplight turned into a fountain, with water spurting out all over the edges.



-- Prince Georges Post Photo DOROTHEA FORD

Marvin Jones and Dorothea Ford, of Greenbelt, both "made" the columns of the Prince Georges Post last week. The article about Mr. Jones cited his recent appointment as deputy chief of staff for the second district, department of Maryland of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. A tribute to Miss Ford appeared as one of the articles in a series called "Interesting Women" which is currently running in

Editor Ford, at present enjoying a week's vacation, was praised for holding down tow "man's size jobs" at the same time, i. e., that of office nurse for the Greenbelt Health Association and editor-inchief of the town paper. "Between assisting in the care of Greenbelt's ill and editing a six page newspaper, Miss Ford is as busy as the proverbial one armed paper hanger. The age old problem of what to do with your spare time doesn't worry Miss Ford", comments the Post.

DON NICODEMUS TAKES A SPILL

As Don Nicodemus and Alan Taylor were coasting down the A Block hill together on their bicycles last Wednesday, Don Took an unlucky swerve that resulted in the two bicycles tangling and himself flying over his handlebars.

The gash in Don's chin required three stitches, and there were ten broken spokes in the front wheel of his bicycle. Alan and his bicycle were unhurt.

LEGION AUXILIARY WINS IN MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Attending the State Convention of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary in Cumberland, last week were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. James McCarl, Mrs. Lewis Hedges, and Mrs. Thomas McNamara.

The Greenbelt Auxiliary received a handsome gavel for having won the highest percentage of membership during the year, while Mrs. McNamara was presented with a pin in recognition of the membership work she performed.

A very strrowful-looking little boy was standing by the display window in the square last Saturday evening. "I want my mother," he blubbered, upon being asked what the matter was. "Did you come down to the square alone?" "Yes, but I want my mother!" "Where do you live?" The wanderer buried his chin in his chest and mumbled, "I live by Mrs. Glucken" (or something). The directory in the drugstore failed to reveal such a name; then Albert Ellerin suggested the name "McGuckin." "Yes, I live by Mrs. Jemima McGuckin, " sobbed our hero.

Mr. Rogers, drugstore manager, suggested that Roger, a colored employee who was just leaving, drop the boy off at the McGuckin place on his way home. The wrchin took one look at Roger's dusky face and wailed, "I don't wanna go!" He offered no resistance, however, as Roger led him off to his car.

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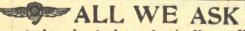
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GREENBELT A REFUGE?

Greenbelt, while planned as a model community for people, could easily be made a model for wild life conservation as well. The controlling factor is protection. This depends directly upon the interest, appreciation, and support of the people of the town.

Protection includes food, shelter, and breeding facilities as well as security from predatory enemies of wildlife are eliminated by citizens' decision. Vines, shrubs and trees furnish cover for many birds. Other birds and squirrels use hollow trees for shelter or breeding purposes. In Green-belt most of the cavities have been filled with concrete to preserve the trees. This necessitates providing shelter and breeding houses.

Protection from predatory enemies is necessary in the case of both fish and game. These have to contend with destruction from man as well as their natural enemies. The Greenbelt area has an unusually large number of short-winged hawks, crows, foxes, weasels and horned owls in the winter which destroy game. The fish in the lake have catfish, carp and snapping turtles to contend with as well as insufficient cover and food. Some system of predatory control and restocking annually should be put into practice so that it will be the desirable species that increase in numbers instead of the less desir-

This program will be carried on in conjunction and cooperation with the Department of Recreation. All persons interested should see Vincent D. Holochwost, Recreation Department Director, or J. H. Shep-herd, Deputy Game Warden for Prince Georges County.



Mr. Custer, Must you fluster Me when criticize? pow my head what you said-T*m one of those nasty guys!

Chaz

A young Greenbelt couple still in the furnitureacquiring stage just couldn't find the proper selection in Washington.

Consequently Mr. took office leave for last Monday, and the pair drove up to New York Sunday evening. After shopping in New York for furniture all day Monday they drove back to Greenbelt Monday

Mr. and Mrs. had not yet returned when the paper went to press, so it cannot be told whether or not they found what they were looking for.

HEBREW CONGREGATION NEWS

Bernard Saul Trattler will conduct services tomorrow evening.

Choir practice is held every Tuesday evening at the home of Isaac Schwartz, 5-B Eastway and after Services every Friday. All those interested are urged to attend.

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Chaz, it's all very well to knock knockersall prefer friendly town fellowsmay bled by smile smilerssaved by its critics! loud bellows --- Howard C. Custer.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Edmonds of 47-A Ridge Road are the parents of a baby girl, born at 11:45 P.M. Sunday, August 25, at the Greenbelt Hospital.

Police Officer George Panagoulis returned late last Saturday night from a vacation trip which included New York City, Hampton Feach, New Hampshire and Nashua, New Hampshire, his home town.

"A bachelor gets a lot of pity", says Lichel Patrick, who works behind the meat counter in the food store. "But I make out fine. I have broiled meat every night for dinner and 1 only wash the broiler once a week."

Mr. Patrick's wife and children are temporarily out in Wisconsin and will join him later.

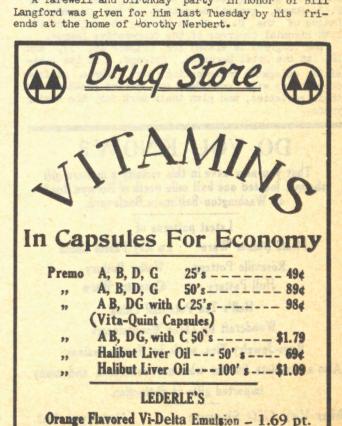
Little Anne Atkins, as a dutiful Sunday School attender, is thoroughly familiar with the pictures showing Christ as a bearded young man.

She witnessed a rehearsal of the Greenbelt band, led by Director Paul Garret a week or so ago at the Elementary School, and seemed much impressed. After walking home with her mother in complete silence, she turned around suddenly as they were about to enter the door, and said, "Do you know who was leading that band? It was God."

The marriage of Mrs. Kelen L. Bridges, of 23-D Ridge Road to Harry Feltus of Minneapolis, Minnesota, took place Saturday evening, August 24, in Arlington, Virginia. They will leave for Chicago Friday, August 30.

Last Sunday afternoon at Mrs. Henley M. Goode's the children of the neighborhood held a farewell party for Jimmy and Ruthie, Mrs. Bridge's son and daughter. They will leave Greenbelt with their mother this Friday for Chicago, where they will make their new home.

A farewell and birthday party in honor of Bill Langford was given for him last Tuesday by his fri-



(Ask for a sample)



Homemakers, the fair is but one week away. Have you entered your canned goods and baked goods in the

The canned fruit and vegetable contest will be run under the same regulations as last year and the committee in cha ge (Maryn, Hughes, and Slough) or any Better Buyer member will be glad to give information regarding contest.

Mrs. Wallace Mabee is assisting her husband in his capacity as Fair Manager by helping him to chase up elusive information. What might be described as a perfect telephone manner, enables her to rout people from bed in the late hours of the night, secure from them the necessary information, and send them off again feeling proud that they had been of some assist-

On these pages next week will be listed a complete program of the Fair with time schedules, contest, entertainments, prizes, etc. Be sure to get your copy of the Cooperator in order to enjoy the Fair more

Serving the two-fold purpose of acting as the official finale of the Fair and at the same time, ringing down the curtain of the 1940 swim season, a gala water carnival is scheduled for the afternoon of Sunday, September 8. Staged by the pool staff under the direction of Doris Dungan, this local version of the Aquacade will offer the most pretentious show yet attempted by Greenbelt talent. Besides the various events and contests, a pageant, original and cleverly conceived, will be the day's feature attraction.

HUMPHREY HOUSE MODEL TO CENTER DISPLAY

The committee working on the booth of the Greenbelt Homeowners Cooperative announced last week that David Humphrey, Washington architect, was preparing a model for display of the low-cost home designed by him for the Housing Committee. Graphic charts and sketches explaining the advantages of the cooperative housing project, with estimated costs and possible types and plans of houses, will also be on exhibit.

STOP WORRYING

Greenbelters. who worry about the dry, parched appearance of their lawn during dry spells needn't be afraid of the grass dying, according to an authority on the culture of Blue Grass, with which Greenbelt

The important thing to remember is that Blue Grass roots naturally go deep into the soil and that in watering the lawn enough water must be used to penetrate at least an inch. A good sprinkling once a week will do more good than a light sprinkling every evening. Unless enough water is used to penetrate the proper depth, the roots of the Blue Grass seeking the water level, will be weakened. At the same time the "crab" or "summer grass" which needs very little water will be strengthened and crowd out the Blue Grass.

BOWEN CALLS 12TH CO-OP CONGRESS

Urgent need for "a powerful consumer cooperative movement to preserve and extend democracy and to act as a yardstick to prevent possible exorbitant price increases growing out of a war boom", was voiced by E. R. Bowen, general secretary of the Cooperative League of the U. S. A. in issuing the call for the

12th Biennial Congress of the Cooperative League.

The Congress is slated for October 16, 17, and
18, at the Hotel Morrison, Chicago. At its sessions, delegates representing more than a million cooperators will consider the current problems of their societies, and plan their work for the coming years.

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Mar Vey Gift Shoppe Mrs. W. C. McVey, Proprietress Berwyn, Md. Berwyn 333

GREENBELT BIOGRAPHIES

II: ROY S. BRADEN

Before coming to Greenbelt to serve in his dual capacity as town manager for the municipality and as community manager for the Government, Roy Braden saw service both as a city and as a county manager. He started his career, however, as a school superintendent, later taking up engineering and architecture.

Born April 3, 1889, at Cooksburg, Pennsylvania, Mr. Braden attended Slippery Rock State Tea-

chers' College, north of Pittsburgh. Here he was a "three letter man", starring in baseball, football, and basketball. He also engaged in crosscountry and marathon running, and intramural boxing. "But I can't swim a stroke", says Mr. Braden. "I'll have to take lessons at the pool sometime."

After graduating from college, Mr. Braden was superintendent of schools for three years in Barnet Township, Forest County, Pennsylvania. Extension courses in engineering enabled him at the same time to qualify for the position of county engineer, to which he was elected when only 22. "That was my only political adventure," remarked Mr. Praden to the reporter..."I have never been a politician."

Following this, he was city engineer for Kane, Pennsylvania, for four years, then served an equal period as division engineer of construction for the United States Steel Corporation at Gary, West Virginia, and at the Lynch mines in Kentucky. He then became Director of the Chamber of Commerce of Princeton, West Virginia, for two and a half years, engaging in a private engineering and architectural business on the side.

Mr. Braden's managerial career began in 1924, when he was appointed city manager of Hopewell, Virginia. At this time the city manager movement was 16 years old. In 1930 Mr. Braden accepted the managership of Arlington County, Virginia, and thereby became America's first county manager. This form of government was voted by the state legislature

A number of Greenbelt scouts attended the County Campfire Council at Camp Wilson last Friday evening. Rain failed to dampen the spirits of the Prince Georges scouts attending the pow-wow.

RADIO CLUB NEWS

The regular meeting of the Greenbelt Radio Club August 20, was held in the big field behind the row of houses at 16 Ridge Road in B block, in order that all members of the club might have a chance to help erect an antenna pole.

There were six members present including president, Jack Murray, vice-president, John Petersen, and all the other stooges both big and small.

Since the turn-out was good and the pole didn't weigh much more than a ton it was decided that the pole was to be put into place and then the members would retire to Carl Johnston's for a prolonged session of code practice.

After the first vain attempt to pick up the pole it was decided by an impromptu vote to solicit the aid of the Police Department and/or enybody else that could be persuaded. As could be expected Mr. Buddy Attick and his "White Chariot" were brought into service and with the aid of the Fire Department rope, and the able assistance of Mr. McGoldrick. Mr. Gerstel, and one or two others who volunteered their services from time to time, the work proceeded until it was decided that nothing could be done. Nevertheless the Club not to be outdone by such a small matter persisted until finally two cars were tied to the rope and a couple of the neighborhood clothes lines were brought into play. Then voila, one car in the ditch, one pipe full of Prince Albert broken, two complaints from the neighbors and the job. P.S. They didn't get the expected code practice.

later confirmed in a general election by the people of the county. Arlington claims to be the most rapidly growing county in the United States. Having no incorporated towns within its borders, it boasts

a present population of 556,550.

Because of Mr. Braden's "interest in public housing", he accepted, in 1934, at a lower salary than he had been receiving in Arlington, the managership

of Greenbelt.

"I have liked every job I have ever held," Mr. Braden says. "Twe hated to give any one of them up."

Mr. Braden's hobbies? Well, he doesn't play bridge and he doesn't dance. He is, however, an ardent fan of professional baseball and professional boxing. His duties don't leave him much spare time, but he attends all the games and matches he can work

Greenbelt's manager has twice served as vicepresident of the International City Managers' Association. He is also associate editor of "The Southern City," a magazine devoted to municipal engineering and construction in the South. He's listed in "Who's Who in Engineering," and also in an international directory of notables in different realms of the scientific world.

Mr. Braden's office windows command a fine view of the square, and he may often be seen from the sidewalk, waving cheery greetings to his friends. "I enjoy people, and I like to work with them," says Mr. Braden, and proves it by having a first name on the tip of his tangue for most of the population in town, and a smile for everyone.

Home on the Range

In the absence of the Woman's Editor, the Woman's Page will not appear as such. However, for the convenience of our women readers this column will offer timely hints, suggestions, etc.

TUNE IN

Tune in on Saturday, August 31, at 10:45 A.M. Station W.R.C. and learn all about cheese and what to beware of when buying hair preparations.

Listen in for information on how to buy cheese, facts about different kinds of cheese, and the nutritional value of each. There will also be reports from consumers on what they have found out bout different types of hair dyes, restorers and other preparations used for the hair.

Has that medicine cabinet door been bothering you too? The administration office sends in the following suggestion:

With your fingers you can screw in the small round catch that is embedded in the frame of the door. This catch has a screw base, and with repeated closing of the door it has a tendency to protrude too far from the edge of the frame. Therefore, if it is turned back into its socket the door will again close without difficulty.

--Bertha Maryn

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John Murray, Reporter

WITH THE REPS

By John Murray

Sunday, August 25, Ballston, Virginia.

Praised by Winfree Johnson, the District of Columbia Softball Commissioner, as the best defensive
ball club in the current tournament, the Reps of
Greenbelt handed the famed I.B.M. team its first
serious setback of the season here today. For eight
innings the two engaged in the outstanding struggle
yet staged in this park, and a 1-1 deadlock was
forced to be called on account of rain.

It was a case of Jack Smith's hurling against Rep fielding perfection all the way. He allowed but two hits, struck out nine and issued one base on balls in his sterling performance, but the pass and one of the hits combined to score a run in the first imning. Planchard walked, advanced on Beale's sacrifice and scored on Taylor's double.

Barker lasted the route for Greenbelt allowing but four hits, three by Bob Plaisted and one by Franke, but wildness kept him under pressure all the way. Ten I.B.M.'s left on base tell the story of tight infield and outfield defense by the Reps, and tomorrow night they return to the scene to complete their chore. A win will assure them of a place in the semi-finals, where a team must be defeated twice before elimination.

Monday night, August 26.
Things turned sour in a hurry with the resumption of hostilities on Monday. Earker was back on the mound for the Reps with Temple(ex-Carr Bros.)Jarrell opposing him for I.B.M. Rain was very much the order of the day and parts of the playing field resembled the approaches to the Greenbelt lake.

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After the Reps went down in order in their half of the first, the opposition turned on the heat in the form of a 3 hit, 4 run attack. In all fairness to them the runs were earned but how, Oh how they were earned. Weigel, leading off, walked; Mathias, a lefthander, doubled down the Left Field line; Bauer, a righthander, doubled down the Right Field line; Plaisted was intentionelly passed, and Berry pumped a single into left field to score him. The result: I.B.M. 4, Greenbelt O.

This offensive proved to be the last of the evening, with neither pitcher allowing a single hit in the second and third innings. Rain by the bucketfuls.

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This Saturday the Reps take the field against the Yellow Cab nine on the new diamond in the afternoon, and at night play the Navy Yard team at the old field under lights.

GREENBELT TENNIS RESULTS

The first round of the Greenbelt Tennis Tournament was completed on Sunday, August 25. Second and third round matches must be completed by August 31.

The following matches are arranged: Blanchard vs Smith, Moore vs Fulmer, Hartley vs Hull, Howey vs Skinner, Sidlinger vs the winner of the Silagy-Donoghue match, East vs Murray and Taylor vs Goldfaden. Mr. Weatherby defeated Mr. Sanchez in the third round. This is the only match in this round to be played so far.

In the mixed doubles, Howey and Martone defeated Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer. This is the only match played in this group so far.

In the men's doubles, Goldfaden and Holochwost defeated Silagy and Still.

Joe Cronin has to play shortstop with one hand lately so as to keep the other hand free to beckon pitchers in from the bull pen.

Greenbelt Golf Tourney Won By Geo. Fockler

The Third Annual Greenbelt Golf Tournament, sponsored by the Greenbelt Athletic Club, was held last Sunday, August 25th, at the Anacostia Golf Course. Sixteen players struggled through the rain to complete their rounds.

When the divot-digging was completed, two new champions were crowned. George Fockler won low net with 94-28-66 and Erman Stottemeyer won low gross with an 85. The blind bogey prize was won by Sam Cregger with 96-20-76.

The scores were as follows:

	Gross	Handicap	Net
George Fockler	94	28	66
Erman Stottemeyer	85	17	68
Curly Markfield	99	30	69
J. I. Dameron, Sr.	89	17	72
Ralph Cross	91	18	73
James Johnstone	101	28	73
Tom Gay	103	25	78
Shirley Rucker	105	27	78
Wade Snyder	94	15	79
Ben Dozier	101	21.	80
Marvin Wofsey	90	9	81
Joe Thiehoff	105	24	81
Harry Snyder	95	13	82
Sam Cregger	96	13	83
Sol Labovitz	101	18	83
Max Armstrong	105	21	84

BOY'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE

By winning a double-header on Wednesday, August 21, the "C" Block boys moved into first place in the second half standing of the Softball League.

In the first game, "C" Block took the field a-gainst a fightin' "D" Block team, but subdued them by the score of 11 to 8. "E" Block, first half winners, faced "C" Block in the nightcap, and were defeated 6 to 3.

On Friday, August 24, only one game was played, "D" Block defeating "A" Block in a free-hitting affair, 14 to 10.

	TEAM STANDING		
TEAMS	WON	LOST	PCT
Block "C"	3	0	1.000
Block "E"	2	1	.667
Block "D"	1	2	•333
Block "A"	0	3	•000

MEN'S HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

There will be a horseshoe tournament for men with 50 points for game. Only one game will be used for matches until the final match. The following men have entered the tournament:

R. Bell, Sr. J. Smith E. Trumbule J. Sollner P. Jutras J. L. Dameron W. Horn J. Cosby R. Bell, Jr. B. Beale S. Olsen J. Sherman G. Bauer H. Fisher J. Messner W. Armstrong

Matches have been scheduled for the above pitchers. This is posted on the bulletin board in the lobby of the swimming pool. Please locate your partner and play your match immediately. Horseshoes are available at the pool.

Ernest Bonhom, right hand hurler recalled by the Yankees from Kansas City, has a peculiar record in the association in that he had no wild pitches marked against him and did not hit a single batsman.



Athletic Club Comments

By capturing both halves of the American League series, the Badgers were automatically crowned champs. In the final round, the Badgers did not lose a game. Tuesday night the Badgers and Deuces tangled in a ripsnorter. Had the Deuces been able to knock off the Badgers, they would have caused a tie for last half honors. But the champs turned back every threat in true championship style. Last week I mentioned Bauer was preparing for next year's team by getting Messner to move to D Block. Well, it looks like George was able to get around all obstacles 'cause the Deuces' battery on Tuesday was Barker and Messner. The Deuces outhit the Badgers but were unable to produce hits when they were needed. Eddie Trumbule allowed 9 scattered hits, while Barker was only allowing 4, but was walking 6. Oh, yes, the score: Badgers 3. Deuces 1. Nice game.

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Thursday night at 7:30, the Dodgers and Braves of the National League tangled in a playoff game to determine top honors in that league. The Braves captured the second round and the Dodgers captured the first half. Therefore, the one winning 2 out of 3 games will be crowned champ. The Dodgers, by staging a Garrison finish, drew first blood, when they set the Braves back to the tune of 9 to 8. The score sheet on this one shows more walks were given out by both pitchers than Heinz has pickles. Please note that the Dodgers scored 9 runs on 5 hits, while the Braves scored 8 runs on 4 hits. The highlight of the game was Maughan's high fly that appeared would never come down and when it did, went for an error that enabled Reed to go all the way home and tie up the game.

Friday night one game was postponed, so a bunch of the boys got together in an exhibition game. I noticed Mullens, Todd and Uhrinak on one team. Could it be that the boys are practising for that Reps-Shamrock Game? You should have seen that combination of Goldfish and Mullens around second base; some of the regulars had better watch out or they'll be displaced.

The playoff series to determine the Block Championship got under way last evening, and will continue for approximately three weeks, one game scheduled for each night at 7:30 P. M. Members must return to their own blocks to participate in this series.

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A committee, to formulate rules and regulations governing the use of the new clubhouse, was recently appointed. Members of this committee are as follows: Buck Williams, Chairman; Bryant, A Block; Bowman, B Block; Slaughter, D Block; Merryman, E Block; and Di-Pietro, J Block.

Abrahims, Bryant, Klepser, Giersch, and Beale were a few of the new faces seen around the Clubhouse last week. These boys did a fine job, helping to paint the walls and ceiling. Nice going, boys.

President Neblett stated last week that donations of tables, chairs, and rugs will be appreciated. In the event that you have any of the above mentioned items and desire to contribute them to the Club, but have no means of delivering them, kindly contact Bill at the Clubhouse and he will see that they are picked up.

The Club, at a recent meeting, voted to donate cup to the winning team of the Women's League.

Horseshoe Pits are being laid out by John Teel, Lester Olsen, and Wilfred Jutrus. As soon as the pits are ready it is hoped that a tournament will be staged.

Don't forget to visit the Club's Booth at the Fair. Sports equipment, cups, and pictures will be on display. The Club is also donating a cup for the best booth at the Fair.

I predict that the most popular spot at the new Clubhouse will be the Northeast corner.

FINAL STANDINGS G. A. C. SOFTBALL LEAGUE.

			SECONI	HALF			
AMERICAN	W	L	PCTS	NATIONAL	W	L	PCTS.
Badgers	9	0	1.000	Braves	8	ī	.888
Deuces	7	2	•777	Cubs	7	2	.777
Jokers	5	4	•555	Dodgers	4	5	olelele
Esquires	2	6	•250	Giants	2	6	•250
Clubs	2	6	•250	Pirates	1	8	.111
Aces	1	8	-111				

DODGERS CAPTURE NATIONAL LEAGUE TITLE

In weather that would make the "Redskins" shudder, the Dodgers scalped the Braves last Monday night, August 26, 1940, by a 15 to 7 score, and captured the National League Championship. The contest was of the matathon type, with walks, errors, and hits plentiful. This game brought to a close all league competition for the 1940 season.

BOYS' HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

The following boys have been entered in the horse shoe tournament: F. Bauer, L. LeMere, R. Bishop, D. Fitzhugh, D. Brewer, J. Brewer, B. Westfall, D. Jones, M. Loftus, D. Freeman, T. Freeman, H. Hall, D. Wood, B. Langford, T. Fox, T. Caton, M. Shoemaker, J. Leary, L. Hedges, J. Cashman, P. Strickler, B. Palmer, J. Corneal, R. Ward, S. Cragen, F. Reed, J. Gale, H. M. Goode, S. Fickes, H. Fitzhugh and D. Bates.

These boys should read the bulletin board at the swimming pool to see whom they are to play. The match will be 21 points with a ringer counting three and the closest to the peg counting one.

Come what may, the price of prime football tickets will remain about the same this fall, according to information gathered recently.

Oxon Hill Late Rally Beats Shamrocks

Oxon Hill, Prince Georges County champions for the past two years, visited Greenbelt last Saturday, August 24, to battle with our own Shamrocks. A tough time they had during their stay here, but departed with 7 to 6 decision under their belts. This was only the locals fifth defeat of the season, and with a little better judgment on a few occasions, they could have made it a victory.

Jumping into a five run lead in the first three innings, it looked as though the locals were headed for number 20, but the visitors concentrated attack in the fourth, fifth, seventh, and eighth innings turned the tables on our boys. Boggs gave up 14 hits and struck out 8, while he and his mates could only reach the slants of Faircloth for 10 safeties. Therrill and Zerwick led the locals hitting, each getting 2 for 4, while Kidwell was the slugger of the game, connecting for 3 in 5, followed closely by Faircloth, who got 2 out of 3, one a triple.

Sunday, August 25, against Mt. Rainier, in an abbreviated affair, which was stopped by rain, the Shamrocks made it victory number 20, by a 6 to 2 score. After a shaky first inning, Holochwost set-tled down and pitched hitless ball for the balance of the short contest. In the meantime, led by Thompson and McDonald, the locals scared up six hits good for six runs and a victory. The game lasted exactly 42 innings, just enough to be official. This was the second straight game that the locals played errorless ball. Keep it up, boys. BOX SCORE

GREENBELT	POS	AF	H	R	E	OXON HILL	POS	AB	HRE	
Thompson	2B	5	1	0	0	Jacob	LF	5	220	
McDonald	LF	5	1	0	0	Taylor	SS	5	000	
Uhrinak	SS	5	1	1	0	Cinnotti	RF-CF	3	000	
Moore	18	5	1	0	0	Hayes	CF	1	100	
Therrill	3B	4	2	2	0	Kidwell	3B	5	311	
Zerwick	CF	4	2	1	:0	Phelps	1B	5	210	
Andrus '	RF	2	0	1	0	Hanneman	C	4	210	
Todd	C	2	1	1	0	Italiano	2B-RF	4	100	
Russo	C	0	0	0	0	Solback	CF	2	000	
Boggs	P	4	1	0	0	DeCarlo	2B	2	110	
		-		7		Faircloth	P	3	210	
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Two Base Hits: Hanneman - Uhrinak - Moore. Three Base Hits: Faircloth - DeCarlo - Hayes. Stolen Bases: Uhrinak - Zerwick - Boggs - Jacob. Sacrifices: Russo. Struck out, by: Faircloth (4) Boggs (8). Base on balls-off: Faircloth (4). Umpire: Allen.

BOY SCOUT NOTES

The Board of Review for Prince Georges scouts was held at the Legion headquarters last Saturday night, presided over by County Commissioner of Scouting Taylor and Chief County Examiner Converse.

Three Greenbelt boys and 25 from the county at large successfully passed tests for merit awards. Herbie Hall, Jack Gale, and Tom Freeman were the three Greenbelters who won personal health and first aid merit badges.

On September 27 Assistant Scoutmaster John C. Gale has been asked to install at Camp Roosevelt the first "Explorer Patrol" in the National Capitol Area. Twelve Greenbelt Boy Scouts will help Scoutmaster Gale demonstrate trail-blazing, boating, terrain inspection, water testing, safety, first aid, and cook-

Camp Roosevelt accommodates 2000 boys annually.

The engine being used in the Sea Scouts' 20 foot coast guard cutter was taken from the old Fort Meade army tank in front of the American Legion Headquarters.

The boys anchor their boat, the "Anne Marie" at Brown's Cove on the Severn River.

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WOMEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE

All games were played according to schedule last week in the Women's Softball League. The High School

Girls and the Sansone's both won two games to remain tied for first place in this, the Second Half.

On Tuesday, August 21, the High School Girls trounced the Dove's by an 11 to 3 score while the Sansone's found the Olsen's a bit more stubborn before nosing them out by the score of 4 to 3.

The High School Girls made it two in a row Thursday, August 23, by defeating the Olsen's 7 to 6 as the Sansone's handed the Dove's their second straight defeat for the week, 11 to 3.

	TEAM STANDIN	G	
TEAM	WON	LOST	PCT
High School Girls	5	2	.714
Sansone's	5	2	•714
Dove's	3	4	-428
Olsen's	1	6	•142

WOMEN'S BOWLING NEWS

The women bowlers of Greenbelt held their first meeting of the 1940-1941 season on August 16, and plan to hold their final meeting Monday, September 9, at 8:00 P.M. in the Social Room of the school.

At the first meeting enough women signed up to form an eight team league. Captains were elected, and the bowlers will be assigned to the various captains at the final meeting.

HOMEOWNERS ORGANIZE ... from Page 1

price and on the exact size and location of the lots will be commenced as soon as the Board of Directors

Selection of an architect and a contractor is also high on the list of jobs for the incoming Board of Directors. The group has agreed to utilize the services of one architect or architectural association and one contractor in order to obtain maximum sav-

A unique feature of the cooperative is that while individual ownership is contemplated, the cooperative plans to buy the house of anyone leaving the community. It is also planned to have the cooperative purchase at cost less depreciation the homes which have been permitted to deteriorate to the extent that they become unsafe, unsanitary or a detriment to the community. In these ways the deterioration of neighborhoods and consequent destruction of values, so common in the usual community, will be avoided. Shares of stock sold to members will provide the funds for purchase.

The cost of becoming a member is \$20, ten of which for a service charge and ten for the first share of stock. The new member obligates himself to buy five more shares at ten dollars each and to build a home within one year of the date of the lease. Applications are being accepted by Mrs. Lillian Schwartz at a desk in the Cooperator office over the

SWIMMING MEET TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 4TH

The final Greenbelt Swimming Meet of the 1940 season will be held Wednesday, September 4 at 7 P.M. There will be events for six different age groups. Bronze medals will be awarded the winners of each event and gold medals will be awarded those scoring the most points in their class. Any resident of Greenbelt may enter the meet. All persons wishing to swim in the meet are urged to sign for the events the bulletin board in the lobby of the swimming pool before the day of the meet. The events and their classes follow:

AGE 5-10 BOYS 10 Yd. Free style 10 Yd. Free Style 10 Yd. Elem. back stroke 10 Yd. Elem. Back stroke Water dodge ball Water dodge ball AGE 10-14 20 Yd. Free style 20 Yd. Free style 20 Yd. Back stroke 20 Yd. Back stroke 40 Yd. Relay (2 swimmers) 40 Yd. relay (2 swimmers) Baloon race Egg & spoon race AGE 15 AND UP 40 Yd. Free style 40 Yd. Free style 20 Yd. Back stroke 20 Yd. Breast stroke 80 Yd. Free style 20 Yd. Breast stroke Umbrella race Pajama race Diving, for girls under14 Diving, for boys under 14 Diving, for swimmers over 14 Diving, for swimmers

Anyone entering the meet may get practice in sprinting, racing starts and turns at the pool during the morning, after Monday, August 26. The swimming staff will give instruction.

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YOUR CO-OP STORE



Groceries -

Co-op Spiced Lunch Meat __ 12 oz. tin 22¢ Co-op Corned Beef - 12 oz. tin 16¢ Grapefruit and Orange Juice 46 oz. can 17¢ Orange Juice ____ 46 oz. can ___ 17¢
Grapefruit Juice ___ 46 oz. can ___ 17¢ Stuffed Olives ---- 72 oz. jar ---- 25¢ Plain Olives ---- 10 oz. jar --- 25¢ Paper Cups ---- pkg. of 12 ---- 10¢ Paper Plates ---- pkg. of 6 ---- 10¢ Marcal White Napkins --- pkg. of 80 - 5¢ Wooden Forks or Spoons. - pkg - 10¢ Co-op Beverages contents only 3 - 23 oz 25¢ Co-op Cola contents only 6 - 12 oz. bottles 25¢ Co-op Mayonaise - - - pint jar - 23¢ Potato Chips ---- 4 oz. -10¢ -- 8 oz. 17¢

At Our Meat Counter

Kingan's Ready to Eat Hams _ _ _ lb. 25¢ Skinless Frankfurters - - - - lb. 21¢ Briggs Sliced Bacon ____ 1b. 25¢ Spiced Ham Liverwurst Veal loaf - 3 varieties

Fruits & Vegetables

All fruits and vegetables are recieved fresh daily, come early to obtain your supplies of canteloupes, corn, grapes, peaches, bananas, oranges, etc.

Don't Forget! Doughnuts 15¢ doz.

Prices Effective thru. Sat. Aug. 31